

THE LUNDY FIELD SOCIETY SYMPOSIUM

In order to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the foundation of the Society a one-day Symposium was held in the University of Exeter on 23 September 2006. The purpose of this meeting was to present some of the recent work carried out by our members, to broaden links with other organisations in Devon that have similar fieldwork, archaeological, and historical research interests, and to bring Lundy into a closer public focus.

The members of the committee who undertook the organisation of this meeting were greatly helped by a generous grant from our President, Sir Jack Hayward. This enabled us to expand the programme considerably, to reduce the charge for registration and to provide hospitality for those wishing to attend, and subsequently to fund the publication of the *Proceedings* of the Symposium.

The Committee was also most appreciative of the speakers who all supported the meeting by giving their time without claim for fees or expenses. They were joined by other members who generously designed and provided poster displays covering the subjects for which there was no time available in the lecture programme, and the volunteers who helped with the organisation and smooth running of the meeting on the day.

The success of this Symposium was reflected in the goodwill and friendliness that prevailed. The organising committee wishes to offer thanks and appreciation to everybody who contributed to this happy occasion.

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